REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	23 February 2000
Name of applicant/court:	Comptroller of Customs
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Not Applicable
Title of Publication:	Untitled
Other Known Titles:	Slide sheet containing 5 photographic slides and 2 photographic proofs
Director:	Not Applicable
Producer:	Not Applicable
Publisher:	Not Applicable
Author:	Not Applicable
Format:	Photographic Material
Country of Origin:	Not Applicable
Language:	Not Applicable

Components of film originally examined: Not Applicable.

Feature:	Running time:
Trailers:	Running time:
	Total Running time:

Excision/Alteration: Not Applicable.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Unrestricted.

Display Conditions:

Not Applicable.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The untitled photographic material, also known as *Slide sheet containing 5 photographic slides and 2 photographic proofs* is classified as:
Unrestricted.

The publication consists of five black and white negatives mounted in slide mounts and two black and white photographic proofs also in 35mm size. Each individual image is quite small, in the manner of such photographic material. One of the proofs and one slide are identical images. Six of the images depict two females together. The females' youthful naked breasts are visible and they are in physical contact with each other. The way in which the girls are posed in some of the images reveal their genital area. The dominant effect of the publication is romantic and aesthetic rather than sexual.

While the publication exploits the nudity of young persons, it does not do so to an extent or degree, or in a manner, that would render its availability likely to be injurious to the public good. Consequently, no restriction is placed on the publication. The freedom of expression set out in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 is not limited by this classification.

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